Y PLUMBING & SHEET METAL CO.

THE KIND THAT SATISFIES"

OUR CUSTOMERS ABOUT OUR WORK

AVALANCHE

THE AVALANCHE PUBLISHING CO.

INCORPORATED

AMES L. DOW. NO. F. TURNER.

Entered at the Postoffice at Lubbock, Texas: for transmission through the

alls as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES

(Strictly in Advance) Year \$1.00

vertisements 15 cents per single column inch per week; special rates on Jycar contracts. Cards of thanks, resolutions, Obituaries, (other than writtenby ourselves, 2 1-2 cents per line. Church advertisments, where a revenue is derived therefrom, 5 cents per line. Professional cards \$1.00 er month or \$10 per year if paid in advance.

INTER FOUR WEEKS CONSTITUTE A MONTH FOR ADVERTISING

SICE PHONE 14

ople W

16 PAGES.

PBBOCK, TEXAS, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 16, 1909 wholesome surroundings. No

The Pay Your Poll Tax

The Sherman Democrat says: rimaries ever cast at any elec- - Houston Post. m tion. The people are already Theming themselves with the poll

ment of this question.

be the defining of the attitude to sight he might create a "Parabe assumed by the sixteen gen- dise Lost" make the best of it. tlemen who will be elected to sent Texas in the lower

ill be called upon to take you will have your head in york of life, where we, shame.

in the mutations of the years, ment which could be developed it down, which makes the pay- but which, it he is left alone un-Texas democrats will poil the ment of the poil tax a prime es- til 21 years of age may count

RESIDENCE PHONE 242

DO YOUR BEST

era be qualification very necessary The best lesson the boy can learn is to always do his best. In the primary election next No matter what circumstances year there will be a governor, may surround him impress upon a boy must have work to do), members of the legislature, an his mind that he should do his but they are doing him a posiattorney general, a land com- best. He who is the master of missioner, a State comptroller, himself will always be able to sixteen congressmen, and a Un- command his powers though disited States Senator to nominate. tracting his surroundings may be. The next governor and legis- He will be able to focus his lature will be called upon to take powers completely and marshal positive action on penitentiary them with absolute certainity shown t Ranger reform, on the When things go hard with the The La n of whether an inordi- self mastered man he will be able their courat statute book shall be to trample on the difficulties that good thing . The passage of innu- beset him and convert his stumb-I laws, or whether ling blocks into stepping stones er they we is governor and leg- for higher ambitions. Should ming and w he governor and the species overtake him he will be guided by the species overtake him he will be the thats."-Hell be guided by the interest place up, but will use this to produce from the question of parture and will start out with pressionable age, at which the ps and the 12 what the policy of greater determination, and he is boy is most capable of training, know most. State administration sure of ource-or in the end. Make go by without any training, or ige Gooe toward invested wealth, the best of it is a winning slo- they let him drift into a training e lected will be the question of pan. Have the power of self which is had. A boy naturally confliction to be acted on by the subjection and a determination loves physical tasks. Give him speople. And much of paras and you have the main spring of mount interest to the people of success under control. The box mount interest to the people of success under control. The hoy gree of interest. Then both his fadeless light. The more we that abstract work for you on Texas hinges on a correct settle- with these assets will win for mind and his body are conserved come to know of it the greater Manager, Lapbock office. If if Another matter which will at- would write a "Pilgram's Protract the popular attention will gress," and deprived of his eye anche.

A CHANCE FOR THE BOY

representatives at If parents could only rememtom toward the tariff ber that they are no more than de Already certain con- boys and girls, grown big, they nal districts in the State would doubtless guard more Jong to instruct their rep. closely the future welfare of nes in congress how to their children. There is nothing see riff matters where the more helpless or dependent than mr-he schedules directly a child. It must of sheer neces-Physir local interests, sity look to some one for help W'a position to vote and strength and guidance. digently on all of The parent is the rightful one to overs, it is very import. do this duty. If they neglect it -every citizen in the they may rest assured that the and qualify himself for child will fail to come up to a ercise of the suffrage very high standard of efficiency, CPF of what his attitude unless something out of the ora ie many questions in dinary comes to hear on its enby De. One of the reer. Give the boy a chance, is and the property of the prop "it'es of the citizens is to the common cry. It should be to all the requirements broader in its scope. It should od estizenship, for on his be remembered that the girls m in this particular depends play quite a part in the affairs tability of government and of nations. They usually make the mothers of men, if nothing ess, the existence of free else, and they should be pretutions and the popular web pared for this duty if we expect them to do a good job of il. I while urging the citizens. Teach the bays and girls that perform their full duty in this they will some duy have to take up the lumines, of life and he nortion. The Post would state there to do all that can possibly one of the first re- be remired of them. Kurp an Moments of the present, is to eye on them to see that they will make you proud of your de ample facilities for the stewardship, or rest assured that histor of the children selve in the slay will soon come when

The best way of helping a boy is by guiding the use to which he put his time in childhood and youth. No greater fault could be committed toward any normal boy than to give him nothing to do, to guide him into nothing that would be part of his equipment later on. If left alone, he naturally drifts upon the streets Six Months 50c of the town in which he lives, and the drifting tide is always towards idleness and dissipation It is very natural that this should be so. The boy who most excels in initiative and energy, and who might be easiest guided to a taste for work and industry, naturally develops had habits when neglected and the better qualities inhim are weakened by a lack of boy should be left to thrift. Every boy has a natural endowwill be compelled perforce to lay for good with a little guidance. rgest vote next year at the sential of civic duty at this time, only for evil. Parents, guardians and friends should realize that they are not only doing no good to a boy, if they don't guide him into some practical contact with with wholesome affairs and wholesome work (for

Start Him Right

...GIVEN AWAY...

For a short time only, at

GREENHILL BROS.

A full size six ounce can of CALUMET Baking Powder with the purchase of a sack of High Grade Flour. CALUMET is a high grade Baking Powder of rare merit and is sold at a moderate price. It should be in every home. Received the highest award at the

WORLDS PURE FOOD EXPOSITION, CHICAGO

CALL EARLY BEFORE CANS ARE ALL GIVEN AWAY

والمناو والمنا

The South's Greatest Newspaper The Semi-Weekly Record

Fort Worth, Texas.

In addition to subscribing for your home paper, which you cannot well afford to be without, you must have a first-class general newspaper.

As a trustworthy family paper. The Semi-Weekly Fort Worth Record has no superior, It isn't for any limited set of people; it is for every member of every family. If you don't find something of interest in a particular issue - well, the editor looks on that issue as a failure. In addition to printing all the news of the day in concise form. The Record has special features for each member of the family. The remarkable growth of The Record is the best evidence of its merits.

By subscribing through this office you can get The Fort Worth Semi-Weekly Record together with The Avalanche, both papers one year for only \$1.75. Accept this remarkable offer today,

YOU ARE SICK

See or Call a Doctor. If You Will Buy Your Groceries Of

RODDY & ADAMS

You Will Not Need One

injury. They let the im-; The Fadelets Light | kingdom of Light along | Scott inspective King Carolles

ness very often for the remon Turn toward the Fodeless Light. he will not see the light. Light is the greatest essential and pet-

body deteriorate. -Alpine Aval- until at the closing of this journ- W. J. Gideon of Bronte, visited ey we are transposed into the friends in Lubbock last week.

Marking is graping in dark- it is of the spiritual mature,

simuld be the guiding symbol. many refuse absolutely to open The Rectagraph Abstract office is R.H. WILSON

short notice. See W. W. Royalty,

the pathway of life is fadeless if They are always, fresh and fine.

Well Driller

See me for good work and fair treatment LUBBOCK, TEXAS

HERE

Christmas has come but we beat it here, and are now prepared to Please both age and youth in the selection of Novelties in Jewelry.

We also have a nice line of Cut Glass, Silverware, Clocks and Watches.

THE BEST MADE

PRICES THAT WILL MAKE YOU BUY

CRAWFOR , The Jeweler

AT RED CROSS PHARMACY

IF YOU SHOULD GO HUNTING

Bargains in Groceries You Would Do Well To Go To

NT BROTHERS GROCERY STORE

They are prepared for the Christmas trade as well as all other classes. Prices Always Please

South of Square, in Mercantile Building \$\display \display \d

Lubbock, Texas